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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF AIDE MEMOIRE DELIVERED TO DEPT BY
MALAYSIAN EMBASSY AUGUST 24 QUOTE:

THE GOVERNMENT OF MALAYSIA REFERS TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT
MEMORANDUM ON "CONSULTATIONS ON TIN DISPOSALS" AND WISHES
TO STATE THE FOLLOWING:

(1) RECALLING THE UNDERTAKING OF THE UNITED STATES
GOVERNMENT OF JUNE TO LIMIT ITS DISPOSAL OVER THE
BALANCE OF CALENDAR YEAR 1973 TO A MAXIMUM OF 6,500 LT
AND THAT IT "WILL REVIEW THE RESULTS OF THE FIRST SIX
MONTHS OF OPERATION OF ITS TIN SALES PROGRAM BEFORE
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ANNOUNCING ITS SALES PROGRAM FOR THE BALANCE OF FISCAL

YEAR 1974", THE MALAYSIAN GOVERNMENT REQUESTS THAT THE UNITED STATES ABIDE BY THAT UNDERTAKING AT THIS JUNCTURE AND NOT INTRODUCE A REVISED DISPOSAL PROGRAM UNTIL JANUARY OF 1974;

(2) THE INTERNATIONAL TIN COUNCIL AT ITS FORTHCOMING SESSION BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 18 WILL BE MAKING A FULL REVIEW OF THE MARKET AND STATISTICAL POSITION AND WILL HAVE UNDER CONSIDERATION ALL RELEVANT FACTORS TO ENABLE THE FORMULATION OF A MEANINGFUL REACTION TO THE UNITED

STATES PROPOSAL FOR A REVISED DISPOSAL PROGRAM;

(3) THE MALAYSIAN GOVERNMENT IS ACTIVELY STUDYING THE GRADUATED DISPOSAL SCHEME AS A POSSIBLE APPROACH TO STOCKPILE DISPOSALS BUT FEELS THAT IT WOULD BE BETTER PREPARED TO OFFER A DETAILED, CONSIDERED AND MEANINGFUL REACTION ONLY AFTER IT HAS HAD THE BENEFIT OF THOROUGH DISCUSSIONS WITH THE PRODUCERS AND THE LATEST STATISTICAL DATA, PERSUANT TO THE ITC MEETING BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 18. END QUOTE. ROGERS

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